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POLITICAL

GYULA KALLAI REPLACES ANTAL APRO AS SIGNER OF RESOLUTIONS AND DECREES OF HUNGARIAN REVOLUTIONARY WORKER-PEASANT GOVERNMENT

The following is an FDD comment.

A check of all available sources from 1 January 1960 to 17 July 1960 reveals the following pattern in signatures of resolutions and decrees of the Hungarian Revolutionary Worker-Peasant Government. From 1 January to 1 May 1960, Antal Apro signed 14 resolutions and decrees and Ferenc Munnich signed 14. From 8 May to 14 June 1960, Munnich signed all resolutions and decrees, 13 in all. Since 16 June 1960, Munnich has signed 2 and Gyula Kallai has signed 2. Antal Apro has signed no resolutions or decrees since 1 May 1960. Ferenc Munnich is president of the Hungarian Revolutionary Worker-Peasant Government; both Antal Apro and Gyula Kallai are "first deputy presidents" of the Hungarian Revolutionary Worker-Peasant Government.

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CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF HUNGARIAN COMMUNIST YOUTH FEDERATION RESHUFFLED -- Budapest, Ifju Kommunista, Jul 60, p 2

The Central Committee of the Hungarian Communist Youth Federation met on 22 June 1960 and discussed organizational and personnel questions. A resolution was passed concerning increasing the tasks of the executive committee, and the committee was increased from 15 to 19 persons.

The Central Committee relieved Comrade Laszlo Eperjesi of membership in the executive committee and of his secretarial office in the Central Committee and relieved Comrades Jozsef Kiss and Laszlo Sandor of membership in the executive committee. The Central Committee relieved Comrade Richard Nagy of his secretarial office in the Central Committee, leaving unaffected his membership in the executive committee. Comrade Katalin Kaldi, an alternate member of the Central Committee, was elected a regular member of

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the Central Committee, and Comrades Istvan Balogh, Miklos Beni, Mrs Laszlo Bodnar, Tibor Gal, Gyula Somodi, and Bela Szabo were co-opted and elected members of the executive committee. The Central Committee elected Comrades Istvan Balogh and Katalin Kaldi secretaries of the Central Committee.

ECONOMIC

STATISTICS ON CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S SECOND FIVE-YEAR-PLAN, 1961-1965 -- Bratislava, Predvoj, 16 Jun 60

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Compared with 1960, during the Second Five-Year-Plan, Czechoslovakia will increase industrial production by 50 percent, 420,000 new employment opportunities will be created, the average nominal wage will increase by 11 percent, every third person will live in a new dwelling, the retail trade turnover will increase by 30 percent, schools for an additional 634,000 students will be constructed, and 13 hospitals will be constructed in Slovakia and others will be expanded.

SOVIET OIL AND GAS OUTPUT IN FIRST HALF 1960 -- Moscow, Sovetskaya Rossiya, 13 Jul 60

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The Central Statistical Administration of the Council of Ministers USSR reports that 70.7 million tons of crude oil and 22.5 billion cubic meters of gas were produced in the USSR in the first 6 months of 1960. This was 15 percent more oil and 29 percent more gas than that produced in the same period of 1959.

[Comment: According to previously published Soviet sources in the first quarter of 1960, the USSR produced 34.5 million tons of oil and 11.9 billion cubic meters of gas, which was 16 percent more oil and 30 percent more gas than produced in the same quarter of 1959. The targets for 1960 are 144 million tons of oil, 11.2 percent more than in 1959, and 53.2 billion cubic meters of gas, nearly 40 percent more than in 1959.]

SOCIOLOGICAL

RUMANIAN TEXTBOOKS TO BE REVISED FOR NEW SCHOOL YEAR -- Bucharest, Scinteia, 15 Jul 60, p 2

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According to a spokesman for the State Didactic and Pedagogical Publishing House, 370 textbooks in the Rumanian language and in the languages of the national minorities will be published by the Publishing

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House in time for the 1960-1961 school year. A number of textbooks have been revised or re-edited to give them the proper ideological and scientific content for the present demands of education.

[Comment: Rumanian school textbooks have recently been severely attacked by the party press for their "unscientific" character, for "lack of clarity" in presentation of material, and for "poor connection with reality."]

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